

April 25, 1954

Nick Floan

Nick Floan, 89, a former Stratford resident, died at Shelton, Wash., on Wednesday, April 17. Funeral services were held Saturday at 2:00 p. m., at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Aberdeen with Rev. Glenn Midthun officiating. Burial was in Riverside cemetery.

Music was provided by Don Levson and organist, Don Watson. Pall bearers were Allen Baggett, Jud Nostrud, Gust Carlson and Williams Downs, Aberdeen; Ted Neiger, Warner and Carl Hafnor, Stratford.

Mr. Floan was born Sept. 12, 1878 in Norway. He was married in Norway on Sept. 13, 1901 and the couple came to the United States in 1904. Their first home in the U. S. was at Fairfax, Minn. In 1907, they came to Stratford, where Mr. Floan had a cement block factory, a lumber yard and was a contractor.

After the death of his wife in August 1956, he moved to Aberdeen and six years ago he moved to Washington.

Survivors include three sons, Melvin of Yakima, Wash.; Raymond in the U. S. Army, El Paso, Texas; George of Deadwood; three daughters, Mrs. Floyd (Fern) Borst, Shelton, Wash.; Mrs. Joe (Ethel) Nelson, Garden City, Kans.; and Mrs. Dale (Margaret) Kenaston, Lewis-